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The Arms Trade Treaty

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolutions 61/89 of 6 December 2006, 63/240 of 24 December 2008, 64/48 of 2 December 2009, 67/234 A of 24 December 2012, 67/234 B of 2 April 2013 and 68/31 of 5 December 2013, and its decision 66/518 of 2 December 2011,

1. *Welcomes* the 53 ratifications of the Arms Trade Treaty[1] to date and its forthcoming entry into force on 24 December 2014;

2. *Also welcomes* the offer by Mexico to host the first Conference of States Parties to the Treaty in 2015;

3. *Calls upon* all States that have not yet done so to sign and, thereafter, according to their respective constitutional processes, ratify, accept or approve the Treaty at the earliest possible date;

4. *Calls upon* those States in a position to do so to provide technical and/or financial assistance to requesting States in order to promote the universalization and effective implementation of the Treaty;

5. *Decides* to remain seized of the matter.

[1] See resolution 67/234 B.

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